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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News is authorized and has received payment to announce the following candidates for County and Precinct offices. Announcements carried in this column from date of insertion to date of nominating convention at \$10.00 each. Must be paid in advance.

FOR SHERIFF
LON CASH

I ask the support of my Democratic friends in securing the nomination for the office of Sheriff on the Democratic Ticket. If nominated and elected I will enforce the law of the State without fear or favor, without quibble or protest, and regardless of cult or creed. My record as a peace officer for the past years of my life in Union county will bear rigid investigation.

Wm. Streetman, of Pennington, was in Clayton the latter part of the week to purchase a load of wire.

Senator Chas. Hawkins, of Stead, made his usual trip to the city the first of the week and returned home with a new plow, which he says he's going to wear the paint off of while the land is in good shape.

A. S. Barrett, of Thomas, was in Clayton on business the first of the week.

W. H. Dillehay, of Thomas made a business visit to the county seat the latter part of the week.

Leo B. Broadstreet, of Sereca, purchased a plow the latter part of the week while in Clayton.

I. D. Munday, of Seneca, was in Clayton buying supplies for his ranch the first of the week.

Wm. Riggins was in from his farm the latter part of the week and purchased a sixty tooth harrow.

G. E. Vaughn, of Mexhoma, Okla., was in town the latter part of the week to buy a lister.

Mrs. Tom Bushnell, who has been visiting Miss Rose and George Bushnell during the past week returned to her home at Beenhaim the latter part of the week. She was accompanied by Miss Rose, who will remain there several days.

I. E. Runyan was in from his ranch Monday.

Jess Garlock spent the fore part of the week in Clayton, returning to his farm near Clapham Tuesday.

Herman Bruns, "Anas Farmer Jones," was in the city Wednesday from his ranch south of here.

J. W. Clay, of the Cimarron, was in the city buying supplies the latter part of the week.

Onion Sets at H. Herzstein Seed Co. Seed That Succeeds Tractors that Track.

Eufreacio Garcia, of near Barney, was a Clayton visitor Tuesday and Wednesday. While here he purchased a Ford from the Pioneer Garage.

E. D. Strohm, of Wheelock, Okla., drove over in his Ford Tuesday, and spent the day here on business.

Bert Schneider, of Granger, Colo., is spending the week here on business.

W. B. Plunkett, and Mrs. Plunkett, were in from their ranch near Moses the first of the week.

Dwight Shirley, an expert and experienced mechanic from Aline, Okla., has accepted a position with the Pioneer Auto Company.

M. Hester, of Moses, was brought to Clayton Monday and left Monday evening for Trinidad, where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

J. M. Mays, of Des Moines, was a Clayton visitor, Monday.

W. J. Stege, of Cone, was in Clayton, Monday.

Juan and C. Vigil were in from the ranches the first of the week.

F. C. Field was in from the ranch the first of the week.

J. W. Weaver, of Thomas, was here on business Monday.

Frank L. Casados, of Reyes, was transacting business in Clayton Monday and Tuesday.

Frank Dunlavey, of Trinidad, was here on business the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Sparks were in from the ranch Tuesday.

R. P. Moore, of Mosquero, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday. Jack Zurick was in from his ranch the first of the week.

H. C. Abbott, of Mt. Dora, was shaking hands with Clayton friends Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Stoddard, of Santa Fe, are here for a few days on business and visiting friends.

Mrs. Mildred Evans, has returned from a few weeks visit at Plains, Texas.

A. A. Gibson has returned to Clayton after several months spent at the hot springs at Gaylord, Kansas, where he went hoping to benefit his health.

H. B. Woodward made a trip to Des Moines the fore part of the week. When asked if he was looking for a suitable site for the new High school he refused to be interviewed.

F. B. Reed, of the Post Office News Stand, was called to Kansas City Monday by the death of his brother.

Nicolas Vigil, of Rosebud, N. M., was in the city on business the first of the week.

Lloyd W. Sumner has moved to Clapham where he will have charge of the Otto-Johnson store and the post office.

A. James McDonald made a business trip to Tucumcari the latter part of last week and while there took occasion to do a little missionary work for the Socialist Party. Mr. McDonald addressed a number of people Saturday night at Norton and Sunday delivered a Socialist address in Spanish. Both were well received, according to reports received here.

R. O. Palmer made a trip to Moses the latter part of the week on business.

Miss Bessie Simmons who returned from Dallas, some few months ago, where she conducted a dancing academy, during the winter, and has been visiting her parents, will leave shortly for Colorado where she will take up her residence on her homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Foster, of Sedan, were in Clayton Wednesday.

BIG WEEK STARTS MONDAY

BOY LOST FOR FOUR DAYS

Fireman's Benefit Week Will Open in Great Style; Carnival Here

Oh-h-h, Skinnay—ohoo—carnival! Next week is the week of real sport. Under the auspices of the Clayton Volunteer Firemen the Southern Amusement Co., guarantees to furnish Clayton and her guests from the surrounding country one of the most hilarious and frolicsome weeks in her history.

Starting Monday night the ballyhoo will sound from every show on the carnival grounds near the depot.

"Ladiesssss an' gempmen! This way, ladies, gempmen and kids, to see the only,—the one an' only Bessie in existence—captured in the wilds of Borneo, ladies and gempmen and transported here at enormous expense—he eats em alive—alive—"

And to the flare of the gas lamps and in the dust of many tramping feet we'll all be kids again and loosen our purse strings and buy red lemonade and peanuts and do every thing that the leather lugged, or gentlemanly, as the case may be, barkers suggest.

That's a carnival! And that's what'll be here Monday. Six big days and six big nights of fun and frolic for all.

There will be a merry go round, immoveable sturdy gurdies, a ferris wheel, and all of the time tried and still amusing features of the successful carnival as well as many of the up-to-date amusements and good clean shows at a price within the reach of all.

Every nickel you spend for peanuts and popcorn or every ticket you buy for the shows or other attractions will help to swell the funds of the firemen, who stand back of the guarantee of the company for the good time assured.

School Notes

School closes in three weeks. This year we have been remarkably free from serious epidemics and our attendance has been good. Just now many smaller children are going to the farms, much to the detriment of the schools. This means that pupils in many cases cannot be promoted this year, and must take another year in the same grade.

The boys in the plane geometry class are making wonderful progress, none of them making less than ninety-six last month. The same may be said of the class in Algebra. The class in civics is doing some good work. The history class is learning the Roman empire. The classes generally are visualizing well and their progress is gratifying.

We have an article on the deplorable condition of country schools in Wisconsin. The fact is that the country high school pupil is always about two leaps ahead of the town pupil. The reason is plain. The country pupil does not have so many distractions, and after milking the cows, feeding the pigs, and the horses, cutting the wood, churning, washing the dishes, and doing the chores, he has more time for study than the town pupil.

The high school will debate soon against the eighth grade. The boys of the school will play ball against Toxline today. We have been victors on every occasion this year.

The teachers of the grades will take the smaller pupils on an outing before the close of school. This will be a very pleasing and profitable occasion for the little ones.

J. W. Thompson, Supt.

Noted Socialist Speaker to Lecture Here

On the 28th inst., we are told, Mr. Paul Michelson, a graduate of a New York City school of socialism, will be in Clayton. Mr. A. James McDonald tells us he will speak at the court house or on the streets, or both, on the 28th, 29th and 30th. In either case there will be no admission fee.

Mr. Michelson has been touring many states for more than a year steadily, going on his own resources, expounding the socialist doctrines he learned in the Rand School of Social Science, and organizing study classes.

Paul Cromwell, of Bertrand, Oklahoma, was in Clayton on business and visiting friends, Monday.

Chas. W. and M. H. Murphy, of Mt. Dora, were in the city on business the first of the week.

Seven Year Son of Folsom Rancher Will Recover Despite Exposure

Lost from last Saturday afternoon until discovered in a dying condition due to exhaustion and exposure Tuesday evening, the seven year old son of Apolo Cardenas, a ranchman of Folsom, will recover from the effects of the trying ordeal.

It seems that the boy was sent to find a goat that had strayed from the fold Saturday evening. He followed the goat until late in the night, trying to turn it toward home, and finally lost his way, wandering aimlessly thru the hills seeking some familiar landscape that would direct him.

Without food or water for four days and sleeping under the stars without shelter or covering for four nights proved almost too much for the sturdy little youngster.

Monday night he lay down to sleep near cliff and sometime in the night he rolled off, falling about ten feet to the bottom. Already exhausted and about ready to give up, the fall proved the last straw and he lay in a stupor all day Tuesday, or until discovered by his twelve year old brother, who was one of a searching party that had been looking for the little fellow since his failure to return home Saturday night.

Prompt medical attention to the bruises sustained in the fall from the cliff and non-nutrition in the form of milk from the goat which he had been trying to turn home restored vitality of the youngster enough to allow him to be carried home, where, at last reports he is rapidly recovering from the severe exposure.

Girl at Quintana's

Ed Quintana, the popular shoe maker is rejoicing at the arrival of a baby daughter, which was born last Wednesday. Both mother and child are doing nicely.

Hott Father of Boy

E. M. Hott, one of the most prominent ranchmen of the western part of the county, is the proud father of a boy which arrived at his home early Saturday morning, April 22. Mrs. Hott and the youngster are reported doing as well as could be expected.

Uncle Pete Kierns, of Sedan, was in Clayton the first of the week, coming in to start from here as one of the road viewers on the proposed road from here to Nara Visa. The party consisting of Uncle Pete, H. B. Magruder and Surveyor Loveless left early Wednesday morning and will be several days making the trip.

"Dad" Vernon came in from his ranch Wednesday and was taken quite seriously ill Wednesday night. He is greatly improved and able to be about again at this writing.

E. L. Keller has gone to Folsom.

LOST—One brown mare mule, three or four years old and one black horse mule same age. No marks or brands noticeable. Write or inform H. Herzstein Seed Co., and receive reward.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M.

April 6th, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Cash Davis Scroggin, of Sedan, New Mexico, who, on March 25th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 014502, for SE1-4, Section 2, Township 22N., Range 35E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office, at Clayton, New Mexico, on the 25th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Amos O. Donoho, Thomas J. Scroggin, Elmer Barnhart, Frank Barnhart, all of Sedan, New Mexico.

4-22-5-20. Paz Valverde, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Clayton, N. M.

April 6th, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Ralph H. Gorham, of Patterson, N. M., who, on September 18, 1912, made Homestead Application, Serial No. 014994, for N1-2 Section 9, Township 24N., Range 35E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Clayton, N. M., on the 24th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Wm. O. Bryan, Albert D. Barnard, Eugene L. Renss, and Wm. T. Oats, all of Patterson, N. M.

4-22-5-20. Paz Valverde, Register.